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SUBJECT: ALASKA HIGHWAY - HAINES RECONSTRUCTION

REF: OTTAWA 841; VANCOUVER 391

1. BINKS AT PUBLIC WORKS ADVISED TCO JUNE 27 BRITISH COLUMBIA GOVERNMENT HAS NOT YET GIVEN ITS APPROVAL TO GOC POSITIONS REGARDING RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT. ISSUE DOES NOT APPEAR CONTROVERSIAL BETWEEN GBC AND GOC, BUT SIMPLY HAS NOT YET BEEN REACHED FOR DISCUSSION BY BC CABINET. OTTAWA IS PRODDING FOR FAST ACTION AS PUBLIC WORKS MINISTER DRURY WISHES MAKE PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF PROJECT BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE FOR EUROPE IN JULY. WE WILL KEEP IN CONTACT WITH BINKS ON ISSUE.

2. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE BEING ADVISED OF DEPARTMENT'S AND DOT/FHWA'S THINKING RE PROCEDURE AND TIMING FOR NEGOTIATING EXCHANGE OF NOTES TO WHICH MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WOULD BE ATTACHED. WE ARE PREPARED CARRY BALL HERE IF WASHINGTON WISHES. HOWEVER, WE SUSPECT, AND A RECENT CONVERSATION WITH HALL AT LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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EXTAFF CONFIRMS, THAT GOC MAY WISH MORE DISCUSSION OF

FINANCIAL ASPECTS OF THE PROJECT (SEE OUR 1063, PARA 2A).
IS IT OUR INTENTION TO START WORK ON EXCHANGE OF
NOTES SOON OR WAIT UNTIL AFTER US LEGISLATION ON RIGHT
OF WAY HAS BEEN MODIFIED?
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